UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS OFFICE OF THE CLERK



April 6, 2007

CLERK'S NOTICE 07-03

NOTICE REGARDING AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ORDER 2007-01 AND ISSUANCE OF GENERAL ORDER 2007-02

In response to a request from the bar for further clarification on paragraph 11 of General Order 2007-01, the Court is issuing General Order 2007-02. Specifically, paragraph 11 of General Order 2007-01, as amended by General Order 2007-02, now provides as follows:

CREDITOR ATTORNEYS IN CHAPTER 13 CASES. The Court deems \$675 as reasonable compensation for fees and actual expenses for a creditor's attorney who is entitled to compensation from a debtor's estate under 11 U.S.C § 506(b) and applicable non-bankruptcy law in any case, without prejudice to a party contesting entitlement to fees, or the reasonableness of the amount or mode of payment of fees and expenses. Allowance of fees and/or expenses in a greater amount shall be by separate order of the Court after a hearing on application or motion and notice. Effective February 1, 2007, the submission of an agreed order containing a provision providing for the recovery of attorneys' fees in a pending bankruptcy case shall constitute an affirmative representation to the judges of this Court by all signatories to the Agreed Order that there is objective evidence supporting a finding that the creditor has a properly perfected lien and is oversecured or is otherwise legally entitled to recover such fees.

The amended General Order can be accessed at www.txnb.uscourts.gov or by clicking on General Order 2007-02 at the top of this notice.

FOR THE COURT Tawana C. Marshall Clerk of Court

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